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Sir:

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement dated September 6, 2007, Applicants provisionally elect, as a single disclosed specie, a connector, for examination purposes only.

REMARKS

Election of a single disclosed specie for examination purposes, from the following list
(Claim 2) is required:

- I: A closure-piercing device
- II: A drip chamber
- III: A graduated buret
- IV: An air trap
- V: An injection site
- VI: A three-way cock
- VII: A connector